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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
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 Rocheleau, John W.)
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 Serial No. 09 / 764,473) Art Unit: 3629
) Examiner: Dunwoody, A...
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 Filed: January 17, 2001)
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 For: PIPE FLANGE AND)
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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

The Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed April 3, 2002, finally rejecting claims 1-13.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) a check in the amount of the fee of \$160.00 for filing the Notice of Appeal is enclosed. The application is on behalf of a small entity.

This Notice of Appeal is being submitted along with a Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time and the required petition fee. This extension of time will not extend the period for response beyond the six-month statutory period for response following the final rejection in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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